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The prince was pulling his horse  
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shoulder.

Staggering to his feet he was  
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The newborn fatherless babies are  
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the disaster.

Giant pumps sucking out 12,000  
gallons of water and viscid mud a  
minute throbbed throughout the  
night, and all day today, but en-  
gineers described the task of empty-  
ing the flooded, mud choked mine as  
almost hopeless, and talked of other  
schemes to rescue the 41 bodies from  
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August Swanson, county mine in-  
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## LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Items for this column will be gladly received. Telephone 74.

## THE WEATHER

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Cooperative observer's record Feb. 8—Minimum 5 below. At noon 20 above. Southeast wind. Clear.

A. H. Proctor, Ironton banker, is in the city today on business.

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D. D. Schrader left this afternoon on a business trip to St. Paul.

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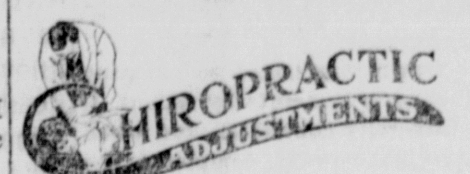
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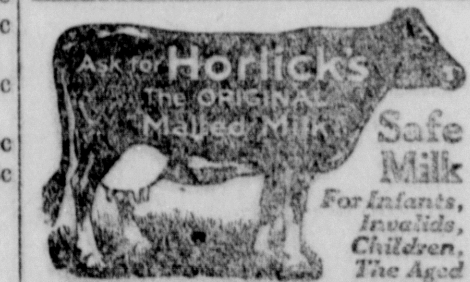


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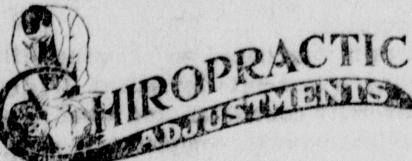
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like unto an uncut forest, an un-  
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grain.

In a few short years you, boys of  
the rising generation, will rule the  
whole Universe. Ere long all na-  
tions, their armies, navies, courts  
and every branch of government;  
all railways, banks, all churches,  
schools and societies, yes, every  
thing will be turned over to you;  
and along with these, into your  
keeping, will be given the material  
and moral civilization of the world,  
with all of its accumulated knowl-  
edge.

These possessions will not belong  
to you in a strict sense. You are  
but a link in the long human chain,  
and after a brief period you too must  
pass them on and render an account  
of your stewardship. Every place  
in this vast field of human activity  
will soon be vacated and the door  
left open for you, and let me say to  
you, and to each and every boy of  
Brainerd, to each Boy Scout, that  
the place you may desire and seek  
will receive and retain you only on  
two conditions, you must be qual-  
ified and you must work. You must  
be qualified, competent, efficient and  
diligent. The world expects it and  
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You must qualify for position in  
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books, these are all wiser than you,  
and to be a real Scout, you must sub-  
mit to higher authority. At all  
times be a gentleman, it costs little  
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Evan Crellin, chief of the mining  
shift, and of Clinton Harris of Brainerd,  
substitute skipman.

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clear, refused to run and went back  
to rescue three others of the victims,  
survivors said today. A moment later  
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Crellin was married, 30 years old,  
the father of a small child. But he  
was the son of Captain John Crellin  
of Duluth, one of the most famous of  
the Iron Range mining captains.  
And Crellin kept his father's tradi-  
tions.

Harris, whose body lies 200 feet  
straight down at the bottom of the  
flooded shaft, might have escaped al-  
so. Two other men were with him,  
when first warning of the flood reach-  
ed the shaft. Harvey Rice, skipman  
on the day crew, had been replaced  
for the day by Harris. It was Harris'  
job to handle the skip as long as  
he could. So he stayed.

For four and a half hours after  
the icy flood engulfed Harris, the  
bell he tended rang incessantly.  
Whether his body had caught in the  
rope, or whether he had tied himself  
to the rope, hoping to warn the oth-  
ers on upper levels, is not known. At  
last workmen disconnected the bell,  
and the last voice from the mine was  
stilled.

Mrs. Mike Thomas of Manganese,  
who lost her husband and her broth-  
er, John Minerich, when the flood  
came, broke through the line of  
guards around the mine, shortly af-  
ter the disaster, and sought to throw  
herself down the narrow opening at  
the ladder head, into the swirling  
water 15 feet below. Friends stop-  
ped her. Today she is reported near  
prostration at her little home.

Hundreds of visitors and relatives  
gathered at the mine shaft yesterday  
and today. But there was little to  
interest them. Two pumps poured  
out streams of mud, driving at the  
rate of 12,000 gallons a minute, in  
an effort to empty the mine and  
Foley's pond, the small lake which  
broke into the mine and killed the  
miners. No one was allowed to en-  
ter the shaft-house, where a small  
opening, two feet by three gives view  
to the surface of the mud and water  
15 feet below.

One boy, Carl Revord, aged 14, is

left alone in the world by the death  
of his father and older brother, who  
perished in the flooded shaft. His  
mother died only a few months ago.

Mrs. Herman Holm, who went to a  
little town on the Michigan iron  
range a week ago to comfort a sister,  
bereaved by the death of her hus-  
band in an accident there, is at home  
today, mourning, with her four small  
children. Her husband, boss of the  
day shift, died in one of the drifts.

Whether there will ever be fune-  
ral services for the victims is not yet  
known. Plans for a Sunday mem-  
orial service, at which the Cuyuna  
range will pay a general tribute to  
the men who died at their posts, are  
being discussed.

Investigation along the shores of  
Foley's lake by Adjutant General W.  
F. Rhinow revealed a slide of earth  
about 100 feet square and five feet  
deep, in a little bay in the lake, not  
more than 50 feet from the extreme  
limit of the mine drifts. Water con-  
tinues to rush into the underground  
mine, though the level in the shaft  
appears no higher, and is considered  
probable that all the small drifts and  
cross workings are filled.

### Divorce Decree May Be Set Aside

An interesting question connected  
with the granting of a divorce to  
Mrs. Marko Toljan, widow of one of  
the Crosby mine victims, hinges on  
the hour when her divorce decree was  
granted in district court in Brainerd,  
before Judge W. S. McClenahan. As  
near as can be ascertained, and ac-  
cording to the official report of Coun-  
ty Mine Inspector August Swanson,  
the mine disaster occurred between  
3 and 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.


At that time Mrs. Toljan and wit-  
nesses and her attorney, C. L. Bened-  
ict of Crosby, were in Brainerd  
awaiting a hearing of her default  
divorce case. The judge had been  
listening all day to a fee case which  
was concluded about 4:30 o'clock.

Then came Mrs. Toljan's case, tes-  
timony was offered and about 5 o'-  
clock the judge granted the decree.  
Next day her attorney appeared and  
sought to stop entry of the divorce  
judgment, but the judgment had al-  
ready been entered. However, upon  
proper representation, it is believed  
the divorce decree can be set aside,  
as no woman can divorce herself  
from a dead husband. On the final  
disposition of this tangle rests the  
awarding of workmen's compensation  
as carried by Marko Toljan.

State of Minnesota, County of Crow  
Wing, In District Court, 15th Judicial  
District.  
Charles F. Hosford, Jr., Plaintiff,  
vs.  
Cuyuna-Minneapolis Iron Company, a  
Corporation, Defendant.  
Mal Clark, Receiver of the defendant  
corporation above named, having made  
showing all the items of receipts and  
disbursements of said receiver as such,  
from January 1, 1923 to date hereof, and  
praying for an order of the court fixing  
a time and place for hearing thereon and  
upon such other matters as may prop-  
erly come before the court.

IT IS ORDERED, that hearing upon  
said petition be held, at Chambers in  
the Court House in the City of Brainerd,  
in said County, on February 23, 1924, at  
ten o'clock A. M. and that notice thereof  
be given by mailing to each stockholder  
of said defendant corporation, whose ad-  
dress is known to the receiver, a copy  
hereof, at least ten days prior to the day  
set for said hearing, and by publishing  
this order in The Brainerd Daily Dis-  
patch, in one issue each week for two  
consecutive weeks prior to the date set  
for said hearing.

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Judge.



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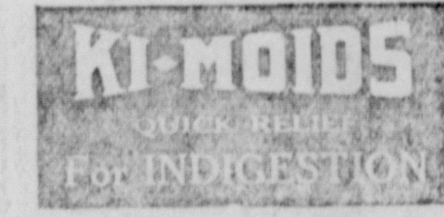
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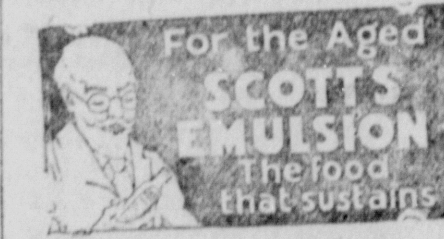
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For four and a half hours after the icy flood engulfed Harris, the bell he tended rang incessantly. Whether his body had caught in the rope, or whether he had tied himself to the rope, hoping to warn the others on upper levels, is not known. At last workmen disconnected the bell, and the last voice from the mine was stilled.

Mrs. Mike Thomas of Manganese, who lost her husband and her brother, John Minerich, when the flood came, broke through the line of guards around the mine, shortly after the disaster, and sought to throw herself down the narrow opening at the ladder head, into the swirling water 15 feet below. Friends stopped her. Today she is reported near prostration at her little home.

Hundreds of visitors and relatives gathered at the mine shaft yesterday and today. But there was little to interest them. Two pumps poured out streams of mud, driving at the rate of 12,000 gallons a minute, in an effort to empty the mine and Foley's pond, the small lake which broke into the mine and killed the miners. No one was allowed to enter the shaft-house, where a small opening, two feet by three gives view to the surface of the mud and water 15 feet below.

One boy, Carl Revord, aged 14, is

left alone in the world by the death of his father and older brother, who perished in the flooded shaft. His mother died only a few months ago.

Mrs. Herman Holm, who went to a little town on the Michigan iron range a week ago to comfort a sister, bereaved by the death of her husband in an accident there, is at home today, mourning, with her four small children. Her husband, boss of the day shift, died in one of the drifts.

Whether there will ever be funeral services for the victims is not yet known. Plans for a Sunday memorial service, at which the Cuyuna range will pay a general tribute to the men who died at their posts, are being discussed.

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### Divorce Decree May Be Set Aside

An interesting question connected with the granting of a divorce to Mrs. Marko Toljan, widow of one of the Crosby mine victims, hinges on the hour when her divorce decree was granted in district court in Brainerd, before Judge W. S. McClenahan. As near as can be ascertained, and according to the official report of County Mine Inspector August Swanson, the mine disaster occurred between 3 and 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

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State of Minnesota, County of Crow Wing, In District Court, 15th Judicial District.  
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vs.  
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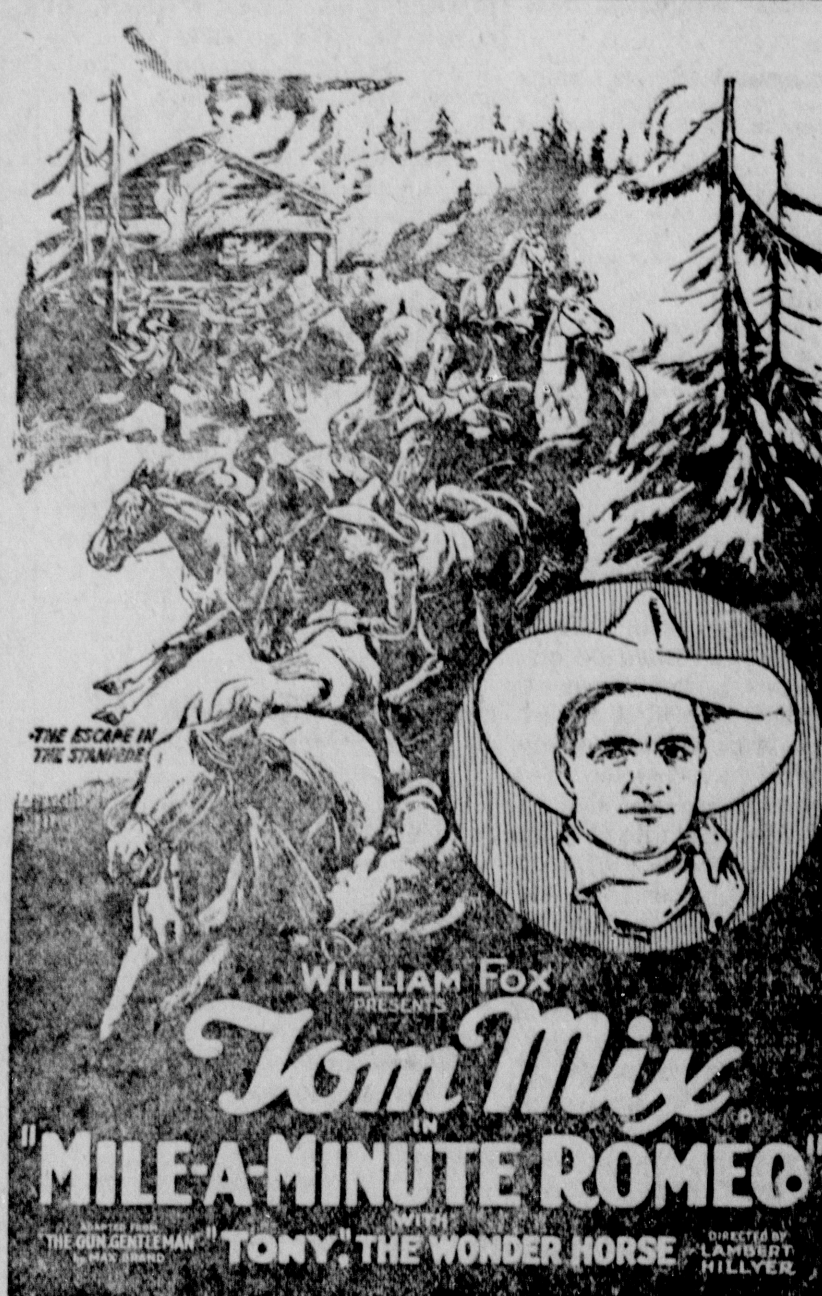
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Dated at Brainerd, Minnesota, February 7, 1924. W. S. MCCLLENAHAN, Judge.

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Retail

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Bran, 100 lbs.	1.50
Shorts, 200 lbs.	1.55
Ground feed, 80 lbs.	1.45
Shelled corn, 80 lbs.	1.50
Creamery butter	.54c
Cracked corn, 80 lbs.	1.50
Oats, 80 lbs.	1.25
Oil meal, 100 lbs.	2.70
Wholesale	
Eggs	.35c
Creamery butter	.50c
Retail	
Eggs	.40c
Creamery butter	.55c

South St. Paul Livestock

(By United Press)

South St. Paul, Feb. 8.—Estimated receipts at the union stockyards to-

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Cattle—Beef steers, \$4.50 to \$11.75; cows and heifers, \$3.25 to \$10; canners and cutters, \$2.25 to \$3.25; butcher bulls, \$3.25 to \$5; veal calves, \$2.50 to \$10.25; stock feeding steers, \$2.50 to \$7.25.

Hogs—\$5.90 to \$6.80.  
Sheep—Lambs, \$9 to \$13.75; ewes, \$2 to \$8.25; wethers, \$6 to \$9.50; yearlings, \$8 to \$12; bucks, \$4 to \$4.50.

Minneapolis Cash Grain

Wheat—No. 1 Dark Northern \$1.16½ to \$1.29½; to arrive, \$1.16½. No. 1 Northern, \$1.15½ to \$1.19½; to arrive, \$1.14½.  
Corn—No. 3, Yellow, 74c to 74½c; to arrive, 74c.  
Oats—No. 3 White, 45c; to arrive, 45c.  
Barley—Choice, 64c to 67c.  
Rye—No. 2, 67c to 67½c; to arrive, 67c.  
Flaxseed—Fancy, \$2.55½ to \$2.59½; to arrive, \$2.55½ to \$2.58½.

St. Paul Hay Market

Timothy—No. 1, \$19; No. 2, \$17.50; No. 3, \$13.  
Alfalfa—No. 1, \$23; No. 2, \$21; Standard, \$14.50.  
Clover Mixed—No. 1, \$16; No. 2, \$12.  
Midland Hay—No. 1, \$12; No. 2, \$9; No. 3, \$7.

Chicago Potato Market

Chicago, Feb. 8.—Receipts 184 cars. Wisconsin Round Whites, \$1.40 to \$1.60. Minnesota Round Whites, \$1.30 to \$1.55. Idaho Russets, \$2.40 to \$2.50.

A Choice of Evils

"Bobby," said the teacher sternly, "do you know that you have broken the eighth Commandment by stealing James's apple?"

"Well," explained Bobby, "I might just as well break the eighth and have the apple as to break the tenth and only covet it."—Forecast.

Perplexities of Statesmanship

"Of course, you agree that taxes ought to be reduced."

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Rid yourself of this dangerous condition—or start "slipping" and become a prey to any one of the most dreaded human ailments which have their beginning with constipation and toxic poisoning!

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14 package macaroni, broken in pieces  
1 teaspoon salt  
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1 teaspoon Kitch-Bouquet  
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Cook macaroni in boiling salted water until tender. Drain and blanch with cold water. Place macaroni in the prepared macaroni in buttered baking dish, dot with butter and sprinkle with grated cheese, then pour macaroni, butter and cheese sauce all over it. Add Kitch-Bouquet in milk and pour this over the macaroni to nearly cover, then sprinkle thickly with cheese. Bake in medium hot oven a half hour, until nicely browned and serve immediately for dinner.

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Corrected Daily

Retail

Flour, 98 lbs.	\$3.65
Bran, 100 lbs.	1.50
Shorts, 200 lbs.	1.55
Ground feed, 80 lbs.	1.45
Shelled corn, 80 lbs.	1.50
Creamery butter	.54c
Cracked corn, 80 lbs.	1.50
Oats, 80 lbs.	1.25
Oil meal, 100 lbs.	2.70
Wholesale	
Eggs	.35c
Creamery butter	.50c
Retail	
Eggs	.40c
Creamery butter	.55c

## South St. Paul Livestock

(By United Press)

South St. Paul, Feb. 8.—Estimated receipts at the union stockyards to-

day: Cattle, 1,200; calves, 1,300; hogs, 1,700; sheep, 1,000; cars, 269.

Cattle—Beef steers, \$4.50 to \$11.75; cows and heifers, \$3.25 to \$10; canners and cutters, \$2.25 to \$3.25; butcher bulls, \$3.25 to \$5; veal calves, \$3.50 to \$10.25; stock feeding steers, \$2.50 to \$7.25.

Hogs—\$5.90 to \$6.80.

Sheep—Lambs, \$9 to \$13.75; ewes, \$2 to \$5.25; wethers, \$6 to \$9.50; yearlings, \$8 to \$12; bucks, \$4 to \$15.

## Minneapolis Cash Grain

Wheat—No. 1 Dark Northern \$1.16½ to \$1.29½; to arrive, \$1.16½. No. 1 Northern, \$1.15½ to \$1.19½; to arrive, \$1.14½.

Corn—No. 3, Yellow, 74c to 74½c; to arrive, 74c.

Oats—No. 3 White, 45c; to arrive, 45c.

Barley—Choice, 64c to 67c.

Rye—No. 2, 67c to 67½c; to arrive, 67c.

Flaxseed—Fancy, \$2.55½ to \$2.60½; to arrive, \$2.55½ to \$2.58½.

## St. Paul Hay Market

Timothy—No. 1, \$19; No. 2, \$17.50; No. 3, \$13.

Alfalfa—No. 1, \$22; No. 2, \$21; Standard, \$14.50.

Clover Mixed—No. 1, \$16; No. 2, \$12.

Midland Hay—No. 1, \$12; No. 2, \$9; No. 3, \$7.

## Chicago Potato Market

Chicago, Feb. 8.—Receipts 184 cars. Wisconsin Round Whites, \$1.40 to \$1.60. Minnesota Round Whites, \$1.30 to \$1.55. Idaho Russets, \$2.40 to \$2.50.

## A Choice of Evils

"Bobby," said the teacher sternly, "do you know that you have broken the eighth Commandment by stealing James's apple?"

"Well," explained Bobby, "I might just as well break the eighth and have the apple as to break the tenth and only covet it."—Forecast.

## Perplexities of Statesmanship

"Of course, you agree that taxes ought to be reduced."

"Yes," answered Senator Sorghum. "That's the way my constituents feel about it. Only no many of them want to reduce their own and increase those of some other fellow."—Washington Star.

## NEW PARK Saturday and Sunday

Matinee 2:15

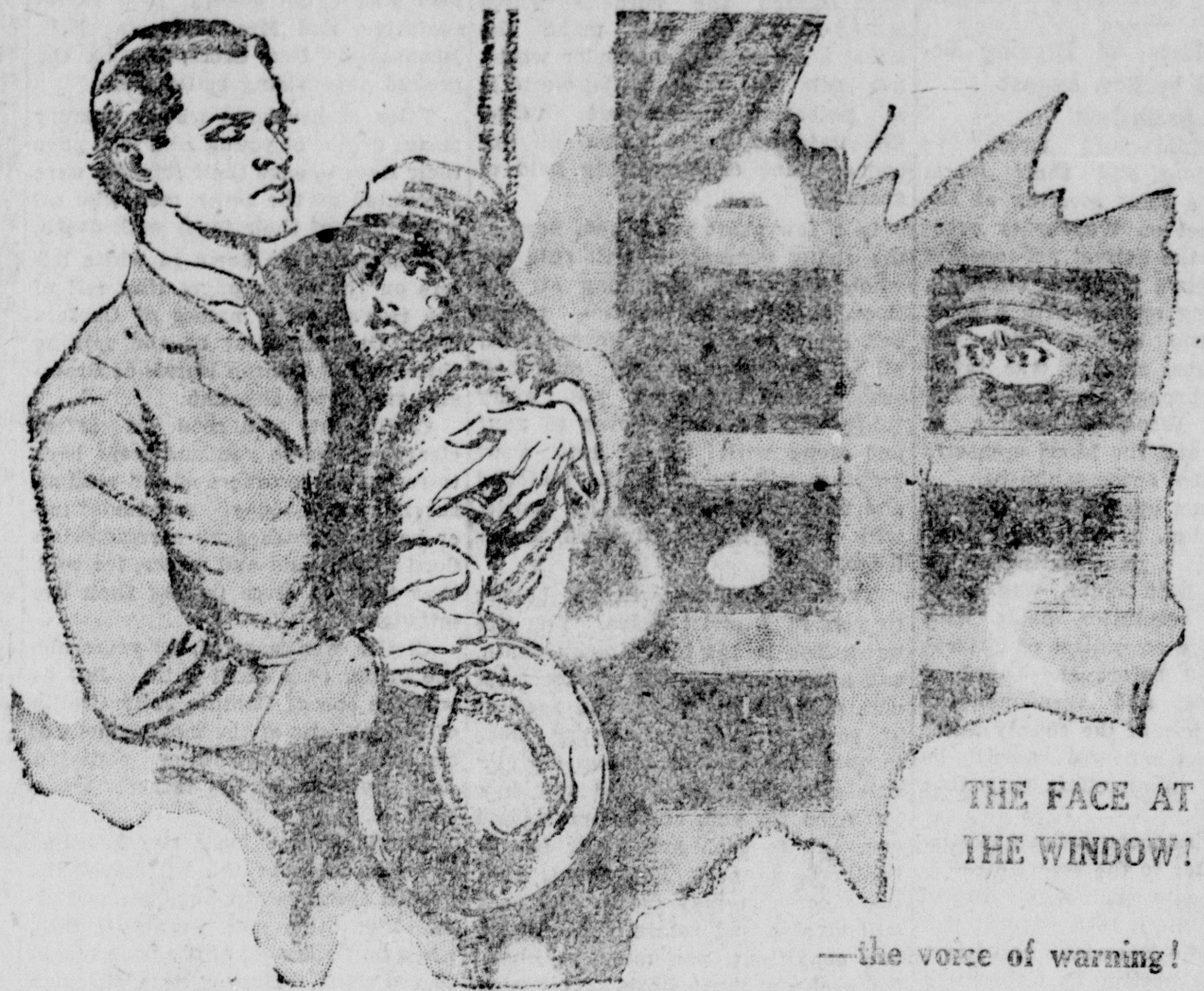
Night 7 & 9

10c & 25c

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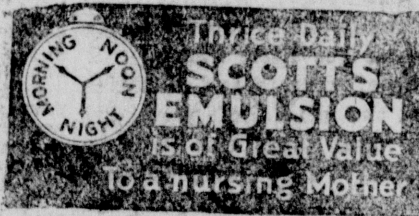
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play that will keep  
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What did they mean in the love affair of beautiful  
Ruth Carson? What strange power sent the Pullman  
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Persistent  
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wastes your strength, makes the delicate throat tissues raw and sore, exposes you to more serious trouble. You can check coughing with Dr. King's New Discovery. Naturally and harmlessly it stimulates the mucous membranes to throw off clogging secretions. Has a pleasant taste. All druggists.



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14 package macaroni, broken in pieces  
1 teaspoon salt  
3 quarts boiling water  
14 cup grated cheese  
1 teaspoon Ketchup, Soybean Milk Butter

Cook macaroni in boiling salted water until tender, drain and blanch with cold water. Place enriched the cooked macaroni in buttered baking dish, dot with butter and sprinkle with grated cheese, then pour Ketchup, soybean milk and cheese over all. Add Kitchen Bouquet to milk and pour this over the macaroni to nearly cover. Bake in medium hot oven a half hour, until nicely browned and serve immediately for dinner.

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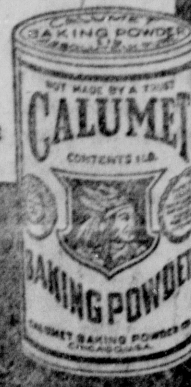


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Sunshine L. W. Soda Crackers, by Daddie, per lb	13c
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Walter Finden, 16 years old, of Glenwood, Minn., was the star of the day, never falling in his three jumps. He was awarded the prize for the most graceful skier on the hill.

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Minneapolis, Feb. 8.—H. H. Bishop, Minneapolis, who graduated from Dartmouth, where he was a member of the ski team last June, has volunteered his services for the annual northwestern ski tournament at Glenwood park Sunday. Bishop will loop the loop from the Glenwood slide.

Johnny Carleton, member of the American Olympic ski team, and a former Dartmouth man, taught Bishop his hair raising stunts. Bishop is a Winona boy, but has been in Minneapolis since his graduation from Dartmouth.

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Paris, Feb. 8.—Jed Kiley, formerly of Chicago, who was a volunteer ambulance driver in the war and then an aviator for the United States after it entered the war, and who is opening the biggest Montmartre dance hall on Saturday, will call the place "Kiley's," instead of "The Volstead," as originally planned. Mr. Kiley received a letter from Mr. Volstead, containing a stern rebuke for the use of his name in a place where liquor was sold. Mr. Kiley replied to the letter, informing the prohibitionist that he never had any idea the use of the name Volstead could give offense, as the cabaret was named after the Austrian composer, Volstead, who wrote "The Jolly Fellows Waltz."

Did He "Can" It, Too?  
"What's the matter?"  
"I wrote an article on fresh milk, and the editor condensed it."—Pell-can.

## Sport Notes

Boston has 21 municipal rinks for ice hockey and other winter sports.

The Southern Intercollegiate conference is now made up of 21 institutions.

Pelota is the national game of Cuba. It is one of the various forms of handball.

Golf players in the United States pay approximately \$10,000,000 yearly to caddies.

Faderewski, the famous pianist, who is sixty-three years of age, is a keen billiard player.

Pennsylvania is considering widening its highway bridges to accommodate auto traffic.

Golf balls cost 2,500,000 marks each in Germany. Caddy service costs 100,000 marks a round.

What a lot of terrific batting is done in both leagues in the winter when nobody is pitching.

Percy Wendell, former Harvard football star, has been engaged to return as Williams' football coach next year.

Joe Dugan, Yankee third baseman with the trick knee, has left a hospital in New York city and has gone to "work."

Dr. R. D. Orok has been elected president of the Le Pas Dog derby and winter carnival which will start on March 11, 1924.

Harvard will lose seven regulars this year, so the prospects for the 1924 football team may be said to be not unusually bright.

Manager Marty Grug of the Los Angeles team will not attempt to play ball next season, he says. He will be a bench manager.

John McGraw and George Sisler were about the only major league managers marked up as absent at the Chicago baseball meeting.

The Athletics and the Phillies will have a real "city championship series" next April. They have agreed to play seven games, beginning April 1.

Charley See, sold by San Francisco to Minneapolis, ought to know where he belongs by this time. He has done a lot of shifting in the past few years.

Otto Melvor, veteran outfielder, who managed Sherman to a pennant in the Texas association last summer, will lead Waco in the same league next season.

The Philadelphia Nationals and the Los Angeles Consters have called off a proposed deal by which Outfielder Wally Hood would have gone from the Angels to the Phillies.

True to traditions of Baltimore players who advance, Max Bishop is said to be asking a slice of the money the Philadelphia Athletics are to pay Jack Dunn for his release.

Paul Castner, Notre Dame athlete, who failed as a ball player in the big show and has been booked for the minors again by the Chicago White Sox, says he'll quit the game.

Rather odd, but the Decatur club of the Three-I purchased two ex-managers of the defunct Rockford club, when it took Brant and Rigby, shortstop and catcher respectively.

John J. McHugh of New York city, an expert in athletics, starts no fewer than 6,000 races yearly. In his 23 years of service he is said to have fired more shots than any living person.

## TELEPHONES LIFE-SAVING TIP

Engineer Putts in Spare Time Watching Window's Ledge Opposite His Office.

"Yes," said the engineer, sitting by the window of his office in the Grand Central neighborhood, "I'm going to ask for a Carnegie medal and also for an annual retainer from the hotel across the street, I'm official life-saver and damage-suit preventer."

He reached for the telephone and asked for his friend, the manager of the hotel, says a writer in the New York Sun and Globe.

"Got another one," he said, "Fifteenth floor, right wing. American beauty roses in a vase. Wind snapping up. It'll blow down in a minute."

"Now watch," he remarked, pointing across the street. Sure enough, on the window ledge stood the flowers.

In less than five minutes two male and three female attaches of the hotel were in the room. The flowers were removed.

"How would you like to be walking down the street and have that vase crash on your head?" the engineer asked. "A person is likely to get killed. All sorts of contraptions are put out by hotel guests, not thinking they are endangering lives and putting the hotel in prospect of big damage suits. Yesterday a heavy vase of chrysanthemums stood shaking in the breeze until I spotted it. A big glass bowl stood on the narrow ledge. It surely would have crushed in somebody's head if it had fallen during the lunch hour."

## ACHIEVEMENTS AND CONSTRUCTIVE IDEAS OF SCOUTING

### WHAT SCOUTING IS

Scouting is a movement to train boys for citizenship through recreation and activity. Boy membership nearly half a million. Over 142,000 men giving service. No other country in the world has even half as many members as the Boy Scouts of America.

### WHAT SCOUTS DO

Camp—hike—swim—all forms of outdoor activity. A Good Turn Daily, help in clean-up campaigns, emergency work, conventions; build bird houses, set out trees, all forms of community service.

### WHAT SCOUTS KNOW

Knot tying, campcraft, nature lore, life saving, first aid, fire building, signalling, outdoor cooking, map-making, seventy merit badge subjects covering all kinds of vocations, trades, arts and crafts. Nearly 700,000 merit badges have been awarded.

### WHAT SCOUTS ARE

Clean, healthy, reverent, red-blooded Americans in the making from 12 years up to any age. Each one promises to do his best to keep himself physically strong, mentally awake and morally straight.

### EVERYBODY APPROVES

Catholic, Protestant and Jewish faiths use Scouting in connection with their work for boys. It is non-sectarian. Half of all scout troops are formed through churches.

Public and private schools throughout the country find it an ideal supplement to the school curriculum.

Leading educators endorse it. Over 200 leading colleges, normal schools and theological seminaries are giving courses for scout leaders.

### LEADERSHIP

Over 142,000 men give their time voluntarily, with no other recompense than the satisfaction of serving boys. Training courses have been established to help them. Each scoutmaster devotes a minimum of two hours weekly to scouting service. Many of them give two and three times as much.

Scouting appeals to the man as well as to the boy.

### JAMBOREE

This summer will occur in Denmark the second Boy Scout Jamboree. 6,000 boys from 34 nations gathered at the last one. The United States sent 301 boys in 1921. All over the country scouts are preparing themselves to take part. Selection will be based on merit. Scouts of each country will give exhibitions of scoutcraft and athletics in competition for trophies.

### CO-OPERATION

Police Department, Fire Department, American Red Cross, Forestry Department, S. P. C. A., Safety First, Wild Life Conservation, American Aeronautical Society, Salvation Army, Near East Committee, Anti-Tuberculosis, Elks, Lions, Rotary, Kiwanis, American Legion, Chambers of Commerce, Churches, Schools, Public Movements everywhere, have had active co-operation from Boy Scouts.

### CAMPING

Summer camping for boys is on an organized basis. 250,000 boys went to camp for one week or longer last summer. Every large city has its Boy Scout camp. At Kanawha Camps at Palisades Park in 1923, 18,500 boys and men spent two weeks or more.

Winter camping is increasing. In the snow or without it. In cabins or tents. Scouts are hardy.

### EXHIBITS

Scoutcraft is an interesting feature at county fairs, bazaars, and exhibitions of all sorts.

### PUBLICATIONS

Three handbooks, three monthly magazines, countless pamphlets and helps are published by the Boy Scouts of America. The Boys' Handbook has reached its 29th edition. 2,155,400 copies sold.

BOYS' LIFE, the official Boy Scout magazine, reaches 120,000 boys monthly.

### HONOR MEDALS

34 gold medals have been awarded to scouts who saved lives at the risk of their own. These stories of heroism by young boys read like high romance. Over one hundred silver medals have been awarded.

### ANNIVERSARY WEEK

Boy Scout activities everywhere. The whole community joins with the Boy Scouts in celebrating their birthday. Senators, Congressmen, Governors and municipal authorities take part in the program. Scout sermons preached in churches. Fathers and Sons Banquets, Mothers Clubs, scout rallies, barbecues, exhibits. Join in.

### One Worse Bet

If there is anything more distressing to the earnest, thoughtful man than to see so many people live without working, it is to see so many work without living.—Boston Transcript.

## AMUSEMENTS

### 1924 Model Chorus Girls in "Red Lights"

Some day a theatrical H. G. Wells will write "The Outline of Chorus Girls."

It may well be Clarence Badger, the motion picture director. He has made an intensive study of choruses and their component parts from the days of "The Black Crook" down to and including the current Ziegfeld Follies.

"The chorus girl of 1923 is under 20 years, 64 inches and 98 pounds," declares Badger. "Her hair is bobbed and her figure is boyish."

To demonstrate that his knowledge



of choreography is practical and not a thing of theory, Badger personally picked the girls who dance the Monkey Ballet in "Red Lights," the new Goldwyn picture which he directed and which is coming to the New Park Saturday and Sunday.

Thirty little dancers dressed in wisps of monkey fur present the Monkey Ballet.

Experts say that Badger's scholarly observations of fashions in the feminine form have been tried and found not wanting.

### Teach Boys to Box, Advises Tom Mix

Out of door sports have no more ardent advocate than Tom Mix.

In his pictures, particularly "Mile-A-Minute Romeo," and talks to Boy Scout camps and other juvenile organizations, Mr. Mix preaches constantly the oft repeated phrase, "A clean body makes a clean mind."

It urges upon the fertile mind of youth and "grown-up" as well, the wonderful value in after life that is to be derived from healthy out-door manly sports.

Lookout, Jackie, Mickey's After Your Laurels

Jackie Cogan has a rival. In the person of little Mickey Bennett, seven and slightly freckled, the screen has a new child wonder.

We leave the picture public to make its own decision in this matter after viewing "Big Brother," an Allan Dwan production of the Rex Beach story, coming to the Lyceum Theatre for a three days' run on Sunday.

Mickey not only is the leader of a gang in this picture but he is fast becoming the leader of juvenile screen players. Ever since he essayed to be young Thomas Meighan in "Cappy Ricks" two and a half years ago he has been in great demand in kid parts. The good luck star that follows Meighan whom he emulated in his camera debut has been shining over Mickey ever since.

In the short space of time that he has been on the screen he has played in more pictures than many of the recognized luminaries of the screen.

Not Particular, but Plenty

She—"Does skating require any particular application?"

He—"No; arnica or horse liniment—one's as good as the other."

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## Dispatch Want Ads

PRICE—One cent a word for each insertion.

### HELP WANTED

WANTED—Maid for general housework. No washing, 815 Ivy St. 8978-2111f

SHOES—Become our local salesman selling high-grade shoes direct to wearer. Quick seller and good commission. Experience not required. Tanners Shoe Mfg. Co., 693 C. St., Boston, Mass. 8979-2111f

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### FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Cow, 5 year old. Fresh soon. H. E. Rowsam, Rt. 1, Phone 11-F-110. 8983-2113p

FOR SALE—Larkin's products at reduced prices. Phone 844-M. 8982-2113f

FOR SALE—Small house on South side on very easy terms. Brainerd State Bank. 8917-2001f

FOR SALE—Dry tamarack cord wood \$8 per cord. Phone 23-F-310. Roy Cook. 8956-2051f

FOR SALE—Twelve pure bred single comb Ancona pullets, also one cockerel. Mrs. Henry Roberts, 1702 East Oak St., Brainerd. Phone 552-W. 8980-2112

FOR SALE—Three room house, 1614 Laurel St. Small price. 8977-21013p

FOR SALE—Vernis Martin bed complete, three rockers, leather back and seat, all in excellent condition. Phone 255 or call 510 Vine St. 8820-1831f

### FOR RENT

GARAGE FOR RENT—607 3rd Ave., N. E. Phone 444-W. 1f

### Little Mother Happy Again

"For the past nine years I have been very much distressed with bloating and stomach trouble due to constipation since I was a child. No medicine gave me more than temporary relief. I got so bad I was afraid I would have to leave my three little children. But since taking a course of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy two years ago I have been entirely well; no constipation or other trouble." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. Johnson's Pharmacy and druggists everywhere.—Adt.

### SIMPLE WAY TO TAKE OFF FAT

There can be nothing simpler than taking a convenient little tablet four times each day until your weight is reduced to normal. That's all—just purchase a box of Marmola Prescription Tablets from your druggist for one dollar, the same price the world over. Follow directions—no starvation dieting or tiresome exercising. Eat substantial food—be as lazy as you like and keep on getting slimmer. And the best part of Marmola Prescription Tablets is they are harmless. That is your absolute safeguard. Purchase them from your druggist, or send direct to Marmola Co., 4612 Woodward Ave., Detroit, Mich.—Advt.

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When your back is sore and lame or lumbago, sciatica or rheumatism has you stiffened up, don't suffer! Get a 35 cent bottle of old, honest St. Jacobs Oil at any drug store, pour a little in your hand and rub it right on your aching back, and the soreness and lameness is gone.

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FOR RENT—Furnished and unfurnished rooms. 402 Front St. 8226-1111f

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\$10,000 destroyed in Brainerd each year in waste material. If you only have a few pounds of old magazines, newspaper, old rags, auto radiators, batteries, I will call for them and pay cash. C. L. Hoggatt, Harrison Hotel. 8961-2061f

## SOOR STOMACH causes bad breath, gassy pains, coated tongue and belching. Always find relief in CHAMBERLAIN'S TABLETS Sweeten your stomach and breath—only 25c

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## SOOR STOMACH IS CAUSED BY ACIDS

Says We Must Keep Feet Dry, Avoid Exposure, Eat No Sweets

Stay off the damp ground, avoid exposure, keep feet dry, eat no sweets of any kind for a while, drink lots of water and above all take a spoonful of Jad Salts occasionally to help keep down uric and toxic acids.

Rheumatism is caused by poison toxins, called acids, which are generated in the bowels and absorbed into the blood. It is the function of the kidneys to filter this acid from the blood and cast it out in the urine. The pores of the skin are also a means of freeing the blood of this impurity. In damp and chilly, cold weather the skin pores are closed, thus forcing the kidneys to do double work; they become weak and sluggish and fail to eliminate this poison, which keeps accumulating and circulating through the system, eventually settling in the joints and muscles, causing stiffness, soreness and pain, called rheumatism.

At the first twinge of rheumatism get from any pharmacy about four ounces of Jad Salts; put a tablespoonful in a glass of water and drink before breakfast each morning for a week. This is helpful to neutralize the acidity, remove body waste, also to stimulate the kidneys, thus helping to rid the blood of these rheumatic poisons.

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Barney Riley made the longest jump, 160 feet, but he fell, which counted against him. Riley, a skiing Irishman, rode for the Husca club of Coleraine, Minn. He won third prize in Class A. Lars Haugen, Minneapolis, was second; though Haugen's longest jump was 148 feet.

Walter Finden, 16 years old, of Glenwood, Minn., was the star of the day, never falling in his three jumps. He was awarded the prize for the most graceful skier on the hill.

## DARTMOUTH SKIER TO DO SOMERSAULT

Minneapolis, Feb. 8.—H. H. Bishop, Minneapolis, who graduated from Dartmouth, where he was a member of the ski team last June, has volunteered his services for the annual northwestern ski tournament at Glenwood park Sunday. Bishop will loop the loop from the Glenwood slide.

Johnny Carleton, member of the American Olympic ski team, and a former Dartmouth man, taught Bishop on his hair raising stunts. Bishop is a Winona boy, but has been in Minneapolis since his graduation from Dartmouth.

## Volstead Kicks on Use Of Name for Cabaret

Paris, Feb. 8.—Jed Kiley, formerly of Chicago, who was a volunteer ambulance driver in the war and then an aviator for the United States after it entered the war, and who is opening the biggest Montmartre dance hall on Saturday, will call the place "Kiley's," instead of "The Volstead," as originally planned. Mr. Kiley received a letter from Mr. Volstead, containing a stern rebuke for the use of his name in a place where liquor was sold. Mr. Kiley replied to the letter, informing the prohibitionist that he never had any idea the use of the name Volstead could give offense, as the cabaret was named after the Austrian composer, Volstead, who wrote "The Jolly Fellows Waltz."

Did He "Can" It, Too? "What's the matter?" "I wrote an article on fresh milk, and the editor condensed it."—Pell-can.

## Sport Notes

Boston has 21 municipal rinks for ice hockey and other winter sports.

The Southern Intercollegiate conference is now made up of 21 institutions.

Pelota is the national game of Cuba. It is one of the various forms of handball.

Golf players in the United States pay approximately \$10,000,000 yearly to caddies.

Paderewski, the famous pianist, who is sixty-three years of age, is a keen billiard player.

Pennsylvania is considering widening its highway bridges to accommodate auto traffic.

Golf balls cost 2,500,000 marks each in Germany. Caddy service costs 100,000 marks a round.

What a lot of terrific batting is done in both leagues in the winter when nobody is pitching.

Percy Wendell, former Harvard football star, has been engaged to return as Williams' football coach next year.

Joe Dugan, Yankee third baseman with the trick knee, has left a hospital in New York city and has gone to "work."

Dr. R. D. Orok has been elected president of the Le Pas Dog derby and winter carnival which will start on March 11, 1924.

Harvard will lose seven regulars this year, so the prospects for the 1924 football team may be said to be not unusually bright.

Manager Marty Grug of the Los Angeles team will not attempt to play ball next season, he says. He will be a bench manager.

John McGraw and George Sisler were about the only major league managers marked up as absent at the Chicago baseball meeting.

The Athletics and the Phillies will have a real "city championship series" next April. They have agreed to play seven games, beginning April 1.

Charley See, sold by San Francisco to Minneapolis, ought to know where he belongs by this time. He has done a lot of shifting in the past few years.

Otto Melvor, veteran outfielder, who managed Sherman to a pennant in the Texas association last summer, will lead Waco in the same league next season.

The Philadelphia Nationals and the Los Angeles Cousters have called off a proposed deal by which Outfielder Wally Hood would have gone from the Angels to the Phillies.

True to traditions of Baltimore players who advance, Max Bishop is said to be asking a slice of the money the Philadelphia Athletics are to pay Jack Dunn for his release.

Paul Castner, Notre Dame athlete, who failed as a ball player in the big show and has been booked for the minors again by the Chicago White Sox, says he'll quit the game.

Rather odd, but the Decatur club of the Three-I purchased two ex-managers of the defunct Rockford club, when it took Brant and Rlesby, shortstop and catcher respectively.

John J. McHugh of New York city, an expert in athletics, starts no fewer than 6,000 races yearly. In his 23 years of service he is said to have fired more shots than any living person.

## TELEPHONES LIFE-SAVING TIP

Engineer Puts in Spare Time Watching Window's Ledger Opposite His Office.

"Yes," said the engineer, sitting by the window of his office in the Grand Central neighborhood, "I'm going to ask for a Carnegie medal and also for an annual retainer from the hotel across the street, I'm official life-saver and damage-suit preventer."

He reached for the telephone and asked for his friend, the manager of the hotel, says a writer in the New York Sun and Globe.

"Got another one," he said, "Fifteenth floor, right wing, American beauty roses in a vase. Wind snapping up. It'll blow down in a minute."

"Now watch," he remarked, pointing across the street. Sure enough, on the window ledge stood the flowers.

In less than five minutes two male and three female attaches of the hotel were in the room. The flowers were removed.

"How would you like to be walking down the street and have that vase crash on your head?" the engineer asked. "A person is likely to get killed. All sorts of contraptions are put out by hotel guests, not thinking they are endangering lives and putting the hotel in prospect of big damage suits. Yesterday a heavy vase of chrysanthemums stood shaking in the breeze until I spotted it. A big glass bowl stood on the narrow ledge. It surely would have crashed in somebody's head if it had fallen during the lunch hour."

## ACHIEVEMENTS AND CONSTRUCTIVE IDEAS OF SCOUTING

### WHAT SCOUTING IS

Scouting is a movement to train boys for citizenship through recreation and activity. Boy membership nearly half a million. Over 142,000 men giving service. No other country in the world has even half as many members as the Boy Scouts of America.

### WHAT SCOUTS DO

Camp—hike—swim—all forms of outdoor activity. A Good Turn Daily, help in clean-up campaigns, emergency work, conventions; build bird houses, set out trees, all forms of community service.

### WHAT SCOUTS KNOW

Knot tying, campcraft, nature lore, life saving, first aid, fire building, signalling, outdoor cooking, map-making, seventy merit badge subjects covering all kinds of vocations, trades, arts and crafts. Nearly 700,000 merit badges have been awarded.

### WHAT SCOUTS ARE

Clean, healthy, reverent, red-blooded Americans in the making from 12 years up to any age. Each one promises to do his best to keep himself physically strong, mentally awake and morally straight.

### EVERYBODY APPROVES

Catholic, Protestant and Jewish faiths use Scouting in connection with their work for boys. It is non-sectarian. Half of all scout troops are formed through churches.

Public and private schools throughout the country find it an ideal supplement to the school curriculum.

Leading educators endorse it. Over 200 leading colleges, normal schools and theological seminaries are giving courses for scout leaders.

### LEADERSHIP

Over 142,000 men give their time voluntarily, with no other recompense than the satisfaction of serving boys. Training courses have been established to help them. Each scoutmaster devotes a minimum of two hours weekly to scouting service. Many of them give two and three times as much.

Scouting appeals to the man as well as to the boy.

### JAMBOREE

This summer will occur in Denmark the second Boy Scout Jamboree. 6,000 boys from 34 nations gathered at the last one. The United States sent 301 boys in 1921. All over the country scouts are preparing themselves to take part. Selection will be based on merit. Scouts of each country will give exhibitions of scoutcraft and athletics in competition for trophies.

### CO-OPERATION

Police Department, Fire Department, American Red Cross, Forestry Department, S. P. C. A., Safety First, Wild Life Conservation, American Aeronautical Society, Salvation Army, Near East Committee, Anti-Tuberculosis, Elks, Lions, Rotary, Kiwanis, American Legion, Chambers of Commerce, Churches, Schools, Public Movements everywhere, have had active co-operation from Boy Scouts.

### CAMPING

Summer camping for boys is on an organized basis. 250,000 boys went to camp for one week or longer last summer. Every large city has its Boy Scout camp. At Kanawha Camps at Palisades Park in 1923, 18,500 boys and men spent two weeks or more.

Winter camping is increasing. In the snow or without it. In cabins or tents. Scouts are hardy.

### EXHIBITS

Scoutcraft is an interesting feature at county fairs, bazaars, and exhibitions of all sorts.

### PUBLICATIONS

Three handbooks, three monthly magazines, countless pamphlets and helps are published by the Boy Scouts of America. The Boys' Handbook has reached its 29th edition. 2,165,400 copies sold.

BOYS' LIFE, the official Boy Scout magazine, reaches 120,000 boys monthly.

### HONOR MEDALS

34 gold medals have been awarded to scouts who saved lives at the risk of their own. These stories of heroism by young boys read like high romance. Over one hundred silver medals have been awarded.

### ANNIVERSARY WEEK

Boy Scout activities everywhere. The whole community joins with the Boy Scouts in celebrating their birthday. Senators, Congressmen, Governors and municipal authorities take part in the program. Scout sermons preached in churches, Fathers and Sons Banquets, Mothers Clubs, scout rallies, barbecues, exhibits, Join in.

### One Worse Bet

If there is anything more distressing to the earnest, thoughtful man than to see so many people live without working, it is to see so many work without living.—Boston Transcript.

## AMUSEMENTS

### 1924 Model Chorus Girls in "Red Lights"

Some day a theatrical H. G. Wells will write "The Outline of Chorus Girls."

It may well be Clarence Badger, the motion picture director. He has made an intensive study of choruses and their component parts from the days of "The Black Crook" down to and including the current Ziegfeld Follies.

"The chorus girl of 1923 is under 20 years, 64 inches and 98 pounds," declares Badger. "Her hair is bobbed and her figure is boyish."

To demonstrate that his knowledge



of choreography is practical and not a thing of theory, Badger personally picked the girls who dance the Monkey Ballet in "Red Lights," the new Goldwyn picture which he directed and which is coming to the New Park Saturday and Sunday.

Thirty little dancers dressed in wisps of monkey fur present the Monkey Ballet.

Experts say that Badger's scholarly observations of fashions in the feminine form have been tried and found not wanting.

### Teach Boys to Box, Advises Tom Mix

Out of door sports have no more ardent advocate than Tom Mix.

In his pictures, particularly "Mile-A-Minute Romeo," and talks to Boy Scout camps and other juvenile organizations, Mr. Mix preaches con-



TOM MIX IN "MILE-A-MINUTE ROMEO" A WILLIAM FOX PRODUCTION

stantly the oft repeated phrase, "A clean body makes a clean mind." It urges upon the fertile mind of youth and "grown-up" as well, the wonderful value in after life that is to be derived from healthy out-door manly sports.

### Lookout, Jackie, Mickey's After Your Laurels

Jackie Coogan has a rival. In the person of little Mickey Bennett, seven and slightly freckled, the screen has a new child wonder.

We leave the picture public to make its own decision in this matter after viewing "Big Brother," an Allan Dwan production of the Rex Beach story, coming to the Lyceum Theatre for a three days' run on Sunday.

Mickey not only is the leader of a gang in this picture but he is fast becoming the leader of juvenile screen players. Ever since he essayed to be young Thomas Meighan in "Cappy Ricks" two and a half years ago he has been in great demand in kid parts. The good luck star that follows Meighan whom he emulated in his camera debut has been shining over Mickey ever since. In the short space of time that he has been on the screen he has played in more pictures than many of the recognized luminaries of the screen.

### Not Particular, but Plenty

She—"Does skating require any particular application?" He—"No; arnica or horse liniment—one's as good as the other."—Boston Transcript.

## Dispatch Want Ads

PRICE—One cent a word for each insertion.

### HELP WANTED

WANTED—Maid for general housework. No washing, 815 Ivy St. 8978-2111f

SHOES—Become our local salesman selling high-grade shoes direct to wearer. Quick seller and good commission. Experience not required. Tanners Shoe Mfg. Co., 693 C. St., Boston, Mass. 8979-2111f

WANTED—Experienced salesman to represent a responsible jobbing house selling their popular line of candies and cigars in the Crosby Brainerd, Little Falls, Wadena, Detroit and Fergus Falls territory. Splendid opening for right party. Give full particulars as to age, experience and references in first letter to "X" care Dispatch. 8974-21016

### FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Cow, 5 year old. Fresh soon. H. E. Rowsam, Rt. 1, Phone 11-P-110. 8983-21113p

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FOR SALE—Twelve pure bred single comb Ancona pullets, also one cockerel. Mrs. Henry Roberts, 1702 East Oak St., Brainerd. Phone 552-W. 8980-21112

FOR SALE—Three room house, 1614 Laurel St. Small price. 8977-21013p

FOR SALE—Vernis Martin bed complete, three rockers, leather back and seat, all in excellent condition. Phone 255 or call 510 Vine St. 8820-1831f

### FOR RENT

GARAGE FOR RENT—607 3rd Ave., N. E. Phone 444-W. 8978-21113f

### Little Mother Happy Again

"For the past nine years I have been very much distressed with bloating and stomach trouble due to constipation since I was a child. No medicine gave me more than temporary relief. I got so bad I was afraid I would have to leave my three little children. But since taking a course of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy two years ago I have been entirely well; no constipation or other trouble." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. Johnson's Pharmacy and druggists everywhere.—Adt.

### SIMPLE WAY TO TAKE OFF FAT

There can be nothing simpler than taking a convenient little tablet four times each day until your weight is reduced to normal. That's all—just purchase a box of Marmola Prescription Tablets from your druggist for one dollar, the same price the world over. Follow directions—no starvation dieting or tiresome exercising. Eat substantial food—be as lazy as you like and keep on getting slimmer. And the best part of Marmola Prescription Tablets is they are harmless. That is your absolute safeguard. Purchase them from your druggist, or send direct to Marmola Co., 4612 Woodward Ave., Detroit, Mich.—Advt.

### OUCH! BACKACHE! RUB LUMBAGO AWAY

When your back is sore and lame or lumbago, sciatica or rheumatism has you stiffened up, don't suffer! Get a 35 cent bottle of old, honest St. Jacobs Oil at any drug store, pour a little in your hand and rub it right on your aching back, and the soreness and lameness is gone.

In use for 65 years, this soothing, penetrating oil takes the pain right out, and ends the misery. It is absolutely harmless and doesn't burn the skin.—Advt.

FOR RENT—Furnished and unfurnished rooms. 402 Front St. 8226-1111f

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FOR RENT—Four unfurnished rooms. 307 South 7th street. 8885-1951f

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### MISCELLANEOUS

Order your bread and cake from Mrs. Mahood. Baked beans and brown bread every Saturday. Phone your order 844-M. 8981-21113f

WANTED—More night-school students in Shorthand and Bookkeeping. Brainerd Commercial College. Phone 1104. 8918-2001f

\$10,000 destroyed in Brainerd each year in waste material. If you only have a few pounds of old magazines, newspaper, old rags, auto radiators, batteries, I will call for them and pay cash. C. L. Hoggatt, Harrison Hotel. 8961-20616

## SOUR STOMACH CHAMBERLAIN'S TABLETS

Sweeten your stomach and breath—only 25c

## HEAD COLDS ENDED BY HEALING CREAM

If your nostrils are clogged and your head is stuffed because of nasty catarrh or a cold, apply a little pure, antiseptic cream into your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage, soothing and healing swollen, inflamed membranes and you get instant relief.

Try this. Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm at any drug store. Your clogged nostrils open right up; your head is clear; no more hawking or snuffling. County fifty. All the stuffiness, dryness, struggling for breath is gone. You feel fine.—Adt.

## SOUR STOMACH IS CAUSED BY ACIDS

Says We Must Keep Feet Dry, Avoid Exposure, Eat No Sweets

Stay off the damp ground, avoid exposure, keep feet dry, eat no sweets of any kind for a while, drink lots of water and above all take a spoonful of Jad Salts occasionally to help keep down uric and toxic acids.

Rheumatism is caused by poison toxins, called acids, which are generated in the bowels and absorbed into the blood. It is the function of the kidneys to filter this acid from the blood and cast it out in the urine. The pores of the skin are also a means of freeing the blood of this impurity. In damp and chilly, cold weather the skin pores are closed, thus forcing the kidneys to do double work; they become weak and sluggish and fail to eliminate this poison, which keeps accumulating and circulating through the system, eventually settling in the joints and muscles, causing stiffness, soreness and pain, called rheumatism.

At the first twinge of rheumatism get from any pharmacy about four ounces of Jad Salts; put a tablespoonful in a glass of water and drink before breakfast each morning for a week. This is helpful to neutralize the acidity, remove body waste, also to stimulate the kidneys, thus helping to rid the blood of these rheumatic poisons.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and is used with excellent results by thousands of folks who are subject to rheumatism.—Advt.